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In re application of:

Ross M. Swan

Serial No.: 10/072,070

Filed: February 8, 2002

For: Year Round Selective Dehumidifying And Humidifying Apparatus And Method

RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed March 5, 2002, a copy of which is enclosed herewith are the executed Declaration together with payment of the surcharge fee.

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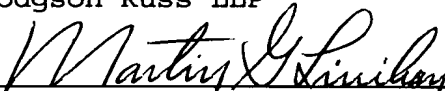
Also enclosed are two sheets of substitute patent drawing containing Figs. 1 and 2 which are believed to satisfy the PTO drawing margin requirements. Please substitute these for the two sheets of drawing originally filed in the instant application.

Favorable action on this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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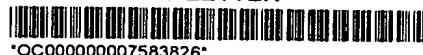
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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